

JANUARY 2017
Newsletter



Dear TCH LaSalle families,

Happy New Year! We hope that everyone had the opportunity to enjoy some family time over the past few weeks.

In this wintery weather, please ensure your child has appropriate clothing for playing outside: snow pants, boots, mittens/gloves, a warm coat, tube scarf and a hat which covers their ears. Spare mittens are always a good idea to keep at school as playing in snow can make for damp hands. Even though it takes a while to get everyone bundled up, going outside for even 10-15 minutes is fun and worthwhile. Below -10C the Infants and Toddlers do not go outside and below -15C the Casa children do not go outside; these temperatures include the 'feels like/wind chill'. Please also remember to send your child with indoor shoes and plenty of appropriate spare clothes for their cubby.

As the winter weather usually brings colds and viruses into our warm indoor environments, please do not send your child into school if they are unwell enough to participate in all activities – including any outside time if the temperature allows. Breaking the chain of infection is something we work hard to achieve, but it cannot be achieved through the efforts of the staff alone, we need your assistance in reducing the transmission of infection. Please ensure you are using the hand-sanitizing stations throughout the school and that shoes are either removed in the Bambini room or covered with shoe-covers which are provided.

Sincerely,
 Lindsey Thompson
 Principal, LaSalle Montessori

Sunday 1st	New Year's Day 
Monday 2nd	SCHOOL CLOSED in lieu of NEW YEAR's DAY
Wednesday 11 th	Dress your Teacher Day! Bring in things for your teacher to wear! 
Monday 16 th	Appreciate a Dragon Day 
Friday 20 th	National Cheese Lovers' Day 
Friday 27 th	Family Literacy Day 
Saturday 28 th	Chinese New Year 

